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In Re Application of  
Chow et al

Group Art Unit: 1626

Examiner: Higel, F.

Serial No: 09/815,362; Conf. No. 4078

Filed: March 21, 2001

For: COMPOUNDS AND METHODS OF  
TREATMENT HAVING AGONIST-LIKE ACTIVITY  
SELECTIVE AT ALPHA 2B OR 2B/2C ADRENERGIC  
RECEPTORS

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This communication is being filed in reply to the Office Action mailed September 25, 2001. After careful review, Applicants have the following comments.

**AMENDMENTS**

Kindly enter the following amendments

*In the Title:*

Kindly replace the title with the following: -- Imidiazoles Having Reduced Side Effects --

*In the Specification:*

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